

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A postcard comprising a security tag coupled to said postcard for selectively concealing at least a portion of information displayed on said postcard, said tag comprising at least a first portion and a second portion coupled to said first portion, said first portion secured to said postcard with a bond that is stronger than a bond used to secure said second portion to said postcard.

2. A postcard in accordance with Claim 1 wherein said second portion is at least partially removable from said postcard without breaking the bond formed between said first portion and said postcard.

3. A postcard in accordance with Claim 1 wherein at least a section of said security tag is substantially transparent, said transparent portion enables selective viewing of the information displayed on said postcard.

4. A postcard in accordance with Claim 1 wherein said security tag further comprises an opening extending through at least a section of said security tag, said opening enables selective viewing of the information displayed on said postcard.

5. A postcard in accordance with Claim 1 wherein said first portion comprises a first side and an opposite second side, and wherein said second portion comprises a first side and an opposite second side, said first portion first side coupled against said postcard, said second portion first side coupled against said first portion second side.

6. A postcard in accordance with Claim 5 wherein the information desired to be concealed is contained on said first portion second side.

7. A postcard in accordance with Claim 1 wherein said first portion comprises a first side and an opposite second side, and wherein said second portion comprises a first side and an opposite second side, said first portion further comprising a pair of oppositely-disposed ends and a body extending therebetween,

said second portion first side and said first portion ends coupled against said postcard, said first portion body coupled against said second portion second side.

8. A security tag for use in selectively concealing selected information displayed on a writing medium, said security tag comprising at least a first portion and a second portion coupled to said first portion, said first portion secured to the writing medium with a bond that is stronger than a bond used to secure said second portion to the writing medium.

9. A security tag in accordance with Claim 8 wherein at least a section of said second portion is at least partially removable from said writing medium without removing said security tag first portion from said writing medium.

10. A security tag in accordance with Claim 8 wherein said tag first portion and second portions each comprise an outer surface and an opposite inner surface, said tag first portion inner surface is coupled against the writing medium, said tag second portion extends over said tag outer surface such that said second portion inner surface is coupled against said first portion exterior surface.

11. A postcard in accordance with Claim 10 wherein the information desired to be concealed is affixed to at least one of said first portion outer surface and the writing medium.

12. A security tag in accordance with Claim 8 wherein said tag first portion and second portions each comprise an outer surface and an opposite inner surface, said tag first portion further comprises a first end, a second end, and a body extending therebetween, each of said first portion first and second ends, and said second portion inner surface is coupled against the writing medium, said first portion body is coupled only against said second portion outer surface.

13. A security tag in accordance with Claim 8 wherein at least a section of at least one of said first portion and said second portion is substantially transparent.

14. A security tag in accordance with Claim 8 further comprising an opening extending through at least a section of at least one of said first portion and said second portion.

15. A method for notifying an individual of an appointment, said method comprising:

providing a security tag including at least a first portion and a second portion that is coupled to the first portion; and

coupling the security tag to a postcard such that selected information regarding the appointment is concealed by the security tag, and such that the security first portion is secured to the postcard with a bond that is stronger than a bond used to secure the second portion to the postcard.

16. A method in accordance with Claim 15 further comprising affixing the information to be concealed to at least one of the security tag and the postcard.

17. A method in accordance with Claim 15 wherein coupling the security tag to a postcard further comprises coupling the security tag to the postcard such that the tag second portion is at least partially removable from the postcard without breaking the bond formed between the first portion and the postcard.

18. A method in accordance with Claim 15 wherein coupling the security tag to a postcard further comprises coupling a security tag to the postcard that includes at least a section that is substantially transparent to facilitate viewing of the selected information.

19. A method in accordance with Claim 15 wherein coupling the security tag to a postcard further comprises coupling a security tag to the postcard that includes at least one opening extending at least partially therethrough to facilitate viewing the selected information.